

REMARKS

Claims 10, 11, 29, 30 and 36 are currently pending. Claims 1-9, 12-28, 31-35 and 37 - 40 have been cancelled. The applicant reserves the right to pursue Claims 1-9, 12-28, 31-35 and 37 - 40 in a continuation or a divisional application. Claims 10, 29, 30 and 36 have been amended.

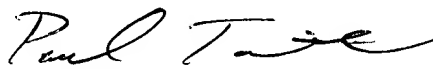
In the Office Action of April 9, 2007, the Examiner objected to claims 10, 11, 29, 30 and 36 and stated that they would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. The applicant has amended claims 10, 29, 30 and 36 so that they are each in independent form. Claim 11 was not amended but depends from claim 10 which was amended.

The applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

The Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned if there are any questions or comments at (415) 705-6386. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0822.

Respectfully submitted,
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